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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINS, IS, EG
SUBJ: ISRAELI PRIOR NOTIFICATION OF MANEUVERS

1. GENERAL SIILASVUO SAYS PERES HAS AGREED NOTIFY
EGYPT VIA UN IN ADVANCE OF FUTURE MAJOR MANEUVERS.
NEXT EXERCISE SCHEDULED FOR JANUARY 20.

2. SFM DEPUTY DIRECTOR WAS TOLD BY SIILASVUO JAN. 12
THAT EGYPTIANS HAD BEEN TAKEN BY SURPRISE BY LARGE-SCALE
ISRAELI MANEUVERS HELD IN SINAI IN LATE DECEMBER.
GAMASY WAS UPSET AND TELEPHONED GEN. MAGDOUB DURING
DEC. 28 JOINT COMMISSION MEETING TO ASK IF LATTER
HAD BEEN GIVEN PRIOR NOTICE. WHEN MAGDOUB REPLIED IN
THE NEGATIVE, GAMASY INQUIRED IF JOINT COMMISSION
SHOULD BE ADJOURNED FORTHWITH. MAGDOUB REPORTEDLY
ADVISED AGAINST THIS COURSE AND RETURNED TO MEETING.

3. SIILASVUO SUBSEQUENTLY DISCUSSED MATTER WITH
PERES WHO AGREED TO GIVE PRIOR NOTIFICATION THROUGH
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SIILASVUO OF "MAJOR MANEUVERS."

4. IDF LIAISON OFFICE HAS JUST INFORMED JERUSALEM
UNHQ THAT STAFF AND COMMUNICATIONS EXERCISE (PRESUMABLY
IN SINAI) WILL TAKE PLACE ABOUT JANUARY 20.

5. COMMENT: THIS PROCEDURE, IF EXPANDED TO INCLUDE

MANEUVERS NEAR SYRIAN ARMISTICE LINES, AND IF EGYPT
AND SYRIA COULD EVENTUALLY BE PERSUADED TO RECIPROCATATE
COULD BE USEFUL CONFIDENCE-BUILDING MEASURE.
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